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Title: POROUS IGNITER COATING FOR
USE IN AUTOMOTIVE AIRBAG
INFLATORS

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**RESPONSE TO FURTHER
ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This application has been reconsidered carefully in light of the Office Action dated as mailed on 22 December 2005. A careful reconsideration of the application by the Examiner in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

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